

1. (Original) A cassette comprising a plurality of cartridges for dispensing liquid therefrom, each cartridge comprising a liquid reservoir and an outlet member mounted so as to close an opening in the liquid reservoir, said outlet member providing an outlet port through which said liquid can be forced by a pulse of pressurised gas.

2. (Original) A cassette as claimed in claim 1 wherein at least the liquid reservoirs of said cartridges are formed integrally with one another.

3. (Original) A cassette as claimed in claim 1 or 2 wherein said outlet port comprises an aperture in said outlet member.

4. (Original) A cassette as claimed in claim 1 or 2 wherein said outlet port comprises a protruding nozzle.

5. (Cancelled).

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12. (Cancelled).

13. (Cancelled).

14. (Cancelled).

15. (Cancelled).

16. (Currently amended) A cassette ~~or apparatus~~ as claimed in claim 3 ~~or 15~~ wherein said aperture has a width of between 2 and 300 micrometers.

17. (Original) A cassette comprising a plurality of cartridges for dispensing liquid therefrom, each cartridge comprising an outlet port in the form of a protruding nozzle and a liquid reservoir integrally formed with the outlet port.

18. (Currently amended) ~~An apparatus or~~ cassette as claimed in any preceding claim wherein the or each liquid reservoir contains a quantity of liquid and is closed at one end thereof by a frangible sealing means.

19. (Original) A cartridge comprising a liquid reservoir having a predetermined liquid received therein, said reservoir being closed at one end thereof by frangible sealing means, and a nozzle attached to or integrally formed with said reservoir and in fluid communication therewith.

20. (Currently amended) ~~An apparatus,~~ cartridge or cassette as claimed in claim 18 or 19 wherein said frangible sealing means comprises a foil membrane.

21. (Currently amended) ~~An apparatus,~~ cartridge or cassette as claimed in any preceding claim wherein said liquid reservoir contains a nucleotide or enzyme.

22. (Currently amended) ~~An apparatus,~~ cartridge or cassette as claimed in claim 21 wherein said liquid receiving reservoir contains an enzyme selected from a group comprising polymerase, luciferase, adenosine triphosphate (ATP) sulfurylase, and a nucleotide-degrading enzyme such as apyrase.

23. (Currently amended) A liquid dispensing apparatus including a cassette or cartridge as claimed in any of claims 1 to 4 or ~~16~~15 to 22.